

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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**NOTICE OF APPEAL**

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Sir:

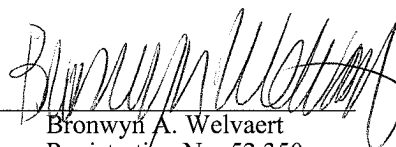
Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision dated 09/07/2007 of the Primary Examiner finally rejecting claims 1 – 20.

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